

Proposed Bill No. 135

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LCO No. 396

Referred to Committee on Select Committee on Children

Introduced by: SEN. MEYER, 12th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING POSTSECONDARY EDUCATIONAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR CHILDREN IN KINSHIP CARE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide postsecondary
- 2 educational financial assistance for children that the Department of
- 3 Children and Families place with relative caregivers in a kinship care
- 4 living arrangement.

Statement of Purpose:

To encourage kinship care of children in the care or custody of the Department of Children and Families.